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OPENING OF OLYMPIC GAMES

IMPOSING CEREMONY AT LONDON STADIUM

King and Queen Present—Results in Running and Swimming Heats.

London, July 13.—When the city of London awoke this morning it seemed as though the English climate which was so kind to the sports held earlier in the year was trying to show the 2,000 athletes assembled here for the Olympic games how disagreeable it could be. The past fortnight of unsettled weather, which has been a terror to the visitors who have been trying to get in the best form for the great physical exertions to be made during the next two weeks, was followed this morning by a downpour of rain, which threatened to postpone the opening of the Stadium at Shepherd's Bush. Temporary shelters, however, were quickly erected to minimize the effect of the storm, and the inauguration of the Olympic games was carried out according to the programme.

Shortly after 3 p.m., as the royal box commenced to fill up, the early arrivals, including the Crown Prince and the Crown Princess of Sweden and their children; the Crown Prince and Crown Princess of Greece, the Duke and Duchess of Connaught, and the Duke and Duchess of Argyl.

Soon afterward the band of Grenadier Guards played the National Anthem, announcing the arrival of King Edward, Queen Alexandra and Princess Victoria, with their suites, who had been driven in state from Buckingham Palace. As the King entered the royal box a bugler gave a signal; the gates leading from the competitors' apartments flew open, and the athletes marched out, headed by the banners of their respective nations. The procession was formed in alphabetical order, Austria leading with the exception of the five English-speaking races, which came last. This latter section was led by the United States team, the British colonies being directly behind the Americans, and at the end the United Kingdom as hosts.

As the procession came into the stadium each received applause, that for Americans and the colonies being particularly enthusiastic, those who braved the elements to witness the opening games, included large contingents from across the sea. Later the downpour of rain gave way to a drizzle which, however, passed over and as the time approached for the opening, the sun came out occasionally, and with the assistance of a light breeze brightened up the stadium decorations. The athletes, including the single representative from Turkey, having taken up their positions facing the royal box, the Americans in the centre, flanked by the Canadians and the Englishmen, Lord Desborough, marched up with members of the executive committee and said: "Will Your Majesty graciously declare the Olympic games opened?"

In reply the King said: "I declare the Olympic games of London open." At the completion of this ceremony cheering broke out from all parts of the stadium. After the demonstration had died down the athletes gave three cheers for His Majesty and then marched past the royal box. The men made a splendid appearance though unfortunately the weather prevented all of the competitors from coming out in the athletic costumes.

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FISHING TRAGEDY.

San Diego, Cal., July 13.—August Wollgast, aged 60, employed in a local lumber yard, and his son, William Wollgast, aged 29, an upholsterer, have been drowned in Mission Bay while fishing. Their empty boat came ashore and a short time previously they had been seen to go overboard in the surf. Each leaves a family in this city.

YOUNG GIRLS DROWN

IN ENGLISH BAY

Sad Bathing Tragedy—Doctor Makes Heroic Effort at Rescue.

(Special to the Times).

Vancouver, July 13.—Two girls, aged about 12, and whose names are at present unknown, were drowned this morning at 11 o'clock at English Bay while bathing on the beach. Along with another little girl, aged 7, the unfortunate girls got under their depth in a hole dredged some time ago to make way for a new promenade pier. A young doctor named Reed leaped after them and safely brought the youngest to shore. He returned for the two others, and was himself nearly drowned in a hopeless effort to save them.

HEAVY FIRE LOSS.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., July 13.—Fire, following an explosion, the cause of which is unknown, yesterday destroyed Blumrosen's department store, gutted Miller's block and damaged several nearby buildings. The total loss is about \$100,000.

COMMANDER PEARY TO SEARCH FOR SOUTH WHEN HE RETURNS FROM NORTH.

New York, July 13.—Upon his return from his present expedition for South Pole, Commander Robert E. Peary plans to organize a national American Antarctic expedition to explore the south pole, a project which, he says, has the approval of President Roosevelt. Peary, however, does not intend to accompany the party.

NINETY-SIX IN THE SHADE.

Two succumb to sweltering heat in Chicago.

Chicago, July 13.—The highest temperature in seven years was recorded in Chicago on Saturday; two deaths and numerous prostrations resulting. The official temperature was 98.

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THE EMPEROR

KAISER ENTERTAINED
HON. JAMES DUNSMUIR

Dolaura in Turn Visited
Yacht is on Way to Quebec.

Hon. James Dunsmuir who, with members of his family are on their way to Quebec by the Empress of Ireland, was the guest of the Emperor of Germany on board the latter's yacht during his visit to northern Europe. On board his yacht Dolaura Hon. Mr. Dunsmuir and party left Hull for a cruise to Norway. The plans were somewhat altered from the original, and the yacht proceeded to Amsterdam, the River Elbe and then through the canal to Kiel, thence up the Baltic. The return was made by the North Sea to Southampton.

It was while at Kiel that the Lieutenant Governor and his party met the Kaiser. The latter was at that port on board his own yacht the Hohenzollern when the Dolaura entered. He at once sent an officer on board to enquire who the owner was. Hon. Mr. Dunsmuir was invited on board the Imperial yacht, where every courtesy was extended to him by the Kaiser. Afterward the Emperor returned to the Dolaura with Mr. Dunsmuir, and on board he manifested the deepest interest. He inspected every part of it from stem to stern, and expressed great satisfaction at the arrangements on board for the comfort of the owner and his guests.

The Dolaura left Southampton on July 5th for Quebec. Hon. Mr. Dunsmuir, and on board her, the remaining members of the family, who are accompanying the Lieutenant Governor, uomini by the Empress of Ireland, Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Bromley and Miss Helena, who is taking a musical course, are remaining in the Old Land. During the tercentenary celebration at Quebec the Lieutenant Governor and party will make their home on board the Dolaura. Later, when they leave for home, the yacht will be sent round by the Horn, reaching here about October 1st.

CLEVELAND NATIONAL FOREST.

Washington, July 13.—The San Jacinto national forest in California will hereafter be known as the Cleveland National forest.

It has been so christened by President Roosevelt in honor of the late president, under whose administration the first national forests were created.

CHURCH BUILDER" OF
UNITED STATES

Rev. Hugh Smyth Was Strongly Active in Cause of Catholic Church.

Boston, Mass., July 13.—The Rev. Hugh Smyth, styled by the late Pope Leo XIII as the church builder of America for his activity in the Boston arch-diocese, in raising new churches last night. He was born in Ireland 60 years ago. When twelve years of age he came to Boston and after studying for the priesthood at Niagara Seminary, N. Y., he was ordained in Buffalo in 1866. During his pastorate in and about Boston, the Rev. Father Smyth built some 20 churches, schools, and convents. When his new parishes became well established he invariably made way for another pastor and sought a new field.

PECULIAR DROWNING.

Body of Man Found Standing Upright in Four Feet of Water.

(Special to the Times).

Hamilton, July 13.—Geo. Smudeck, Hungarian, was drowned under unusual circumstances. His clothing was found on the bank and a search revealed his body in four feet of water in an upright position, with the feet firmly embedded in the mud. It is supposed that the unfortunate man finding himself on a soft bottom tried to free himself, and that in his struggles he became more firmly fixed in the mud, which is very deep there.

POLE WANDERER.

Commander Peary to Search for South When He Returns from North.

BRITAIN AND U. S. IN POLAR RACE

ONE ANTARCTIC, OTHER ARCTIC BOUND

Peary and Shackleton Command Expeditions to Uttermost Ends of Earth.

New York, July 13.—When Commander Robert E. Peary boards his steamer Roosevelt at Sydney, C. B., this week and starts on his expedition in search of the North Pole, an international race to the uttermost ends of the earth will be on. Peary hopes to carry the stars, and strike to the North Pole, while a British Antarctic expedition commanded by Lieut. Ernest Shackleton is trying to place the Union Jack of the British Empire at 90 degrees south.

Lieut. Shackleton and party left London on July 30, 1907, on board the Nimrod, a steam barkentine. Lieut. Shackleton is an officer of the British navy and before leaving London, King Edward bestowed upon him the Victorian order. He was a member of the British Antarctic expedition of 1902-3, under Captain Scott; and with his commander and another member of the party accomplished a sledging journey with dogs to a point, 82 degrees 17 minutes, south latitude. Peary reached a point, 87 degrees 4 minutes, north, April 12, 1906. Shackleton took with him a specially built motor sledge which he hoped to use in his polar expeditions and a number of Siberian ponies in addition to a pack of dogs. Peary was to use Eskimo dogs.

Before leaving London Lieut. Shackleton was presented by Queen Alexandra with a British flag to carry on his southern dash. The Daughters of the American Republic gave Commander Peary a beautiful flag made of silk, consisting of the stars and stripes surrounded by a broad field of white to carry with him to the north.

RUNAWAY FATALITY.

Winnipeg Barrister is Hurled From Rig onto Pavement.

(Special to the Times).

Winnipeg, July 13.—Fancy Lyon, a young barrister, while out driving on Saturday evening with a companion, Florence, daughter of Capt. Clark, was thrown out on his head on the asphalt pavement on Wellington Crescent, dying a few hours later. The horse became frightened, running away. Miss Clark was seriously injured.

TWO DROWNINGS.

(Special to the Times).

Winnipeg, July 13.—Percy Herring, aged 28, an Englishman, was drowned near Battledore.

Fred Erickson, aged 16, has been drowned at Airdrie, Alta.

REVOLUTIONISTS SEEK

MERCY FROM SHAH

Rachim Khan Enters Tabriz, Backed by Batteries of Quick Firing Guns.

London, July 13.—A special dispatch to the Daily Mail from Teheran says that Rachim Khan, who is in command of a large force, including several batteries of quick-firing guns, entered Tabriz on July 9th and is now bombarding the revolutionists who are massed in the Khavirian quarters.

Later the dispatch says, the revolutionists have telegraphed to the Shah begging that an amnesty be granted.

Consulate Threatened.

Tabriz, July 13.—A revolutionary declaration has been placarded throughout the town, threatening the Russian consulate and members of the Russian colony with death unless they desist from meddling in personal affairs.

PEASING TO NANAIMOITES

Satisfaction of Appropriation for Landing Stage at Commercial Inlet.

(Special Correspondence).

Nanaimo, July 13.—In the supplementary estimates brought down in the House at Ottawa occurred an item that was particularly pleasing to all Nanaimoites. This was an appropriation for \$2,500 for a landing stage and the dredging of the Commercial Inlet, a small arm of Nanaimo harbor. The landing wharf is provided for by the government for the benefit of the farmers of Gabriola and the other small islands near Nanaimo. Residents from these places do considerable trading here and after coming here in launches have no place where they can get a good landing or tie them up. The convenience that will thus be provided by the government will be much appreciated by local business men as well as the many who will make use of it.

CATTLE DIE IN TRAIN WRECK.

Eighteen Cows of C. P. R. Freight Derailed Near Indian Head.

Winnipeg, July 13.—Eighteen cows of a C. P. R. freight train were derailed near Indian Head yesterday, killing a hundred cattle, many of them being horses. All the trains are held up till this evening.

PAY DAY BUT NO MONEY.

Granby Employees Wait for Wages Owing to the Grand Forks Fire.

Grand Forks, July 13.—Saturday was pay day at the Granby smelter in Grand Forks. Cheques were issued to the employees, but owing to the fact that the Eastern Townships Bank's vaults had not sufficiently cooled to allow its being opened, payment by the bank will not be made until today. The Eastern Townships Bank is having one of the stores in the brick block on Winnipeg avenue fitted up for them, and will open for business at that place to-day.

KOOTENAY BERRIES

BEST ON MARKET

High Tribute to Excellence of Shipment Comes From Winnipeg.

Nelson, July 13.—The small fruit crop is about half over and so far the yield of the strawberry crop for this season is placed at \$25,000, while the estimate of small fruits for the whole season is placed at twice that sum. Only a few years back the total yield was \$5,000. These figures do not take into account the bigger fruit yet to come.

Advices from Winnipeg state that the Kootenay berry is the best berry on the market and in illustration of the situation in the berry market may be quoted the following telegram from G. Ford, the general manager of the Dominion Express Company, Winnipeg, which handles the transportation of Kootenay berries to P. H. Smith, the local agent here.

Mr. Ford says: "Berries shipped in refrigerator cars have reached here in splendid condition, in ventilator cars in very good condition, in regular working cars in soft condition. Berries netted to growout from \$1.90 to \$2.40 a crate. Strongly recommend shipment of all berries by refrigerator cars."

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OPENING OF OLYMPIC GAMES

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At the last moment a change was made in the order of events. The first and second heats of the 1,500 meters (1,639.5 yards) run were placed first, and both J. D. Lightbody, of the Chicago Athletic Association, and J. P. Sullivan, of the Irish-American Athletic Club, were drawn in the first, and Melvin W. Sheppard, of the Irish-American Athletic Club, and J. F. Halstead, of the New York A. C., in the second heats respectively, and in fact there will be two Americans in most of the eight heats of the event to be run.

In the 400 meters (437.2 yards) swimming event, it is second on the programme. L. Budd Goodwin, New York A. C., was drawn in the first, Harry J. Heber, Illinois Athletic Club, in the second, and C. M. Daniels, of the New York A. C., in the third heat. Only the winners in each heat and the fastest losers are to compete in the second round.

Hill and Van Dondria were drawn in the first heat of the 2,000 meters tandem bicycle event.

1,000 Metres (Running).

The first heat of the 1,000 meters run was won by J. F. Sullivan (Irish-American A. C.), J. D. Lightbody (Chicago A. C.) was second; Meadow of Canada, was third. Sullivan's time was 4.07 3-5. Lightbody ran this event in the Olympic games at St. Louis in 1904 in 4.05 2-6.

The second heat was won by Melvin Sheppard (Irish-American A. C.), J. P. Halstead (New York A. C.) was second. Sheppard's time was 4.05 or 3-5 of a second inside the Olympic record, made by Lightbody at St. Louis in 1904. Lightbody, the former mile champion of England, was third in this heat.

The third heat was won by N. F. Hallows (United Kingdom), Lunghorn (California) was second. F. H. Riley, of the Irish-American A. C., did not finish. Time 4.05 2-5.

Hallows ran a great race in this heat, cutting a clean two seconds off the record. He is an Oxford Blue and a three-mile runner.

The fourth heat was won by Loney (United Kingdom). Time 4.05 2-5. H. L. Cope, of the University of Michigan, finished second.

In the fifth heat Tait (Canada) won easily. Time 4.12 1-5.

The sixth heat was won easily by J. E. Deakin (United Kingdom). Time 4.12 3-5.

H. A. Wilson (United Kingdom) won the seventh heat in 4.11 2-5, and F. F. Crawford (United Kingdom) won the eighth heat in 4.09 1-5.

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The four times champion was born at Earlsferry, in Fifeshire, thirty-eight years ago, in the very heart of the greatest golfing centre of the world, Earlsferry being hard by Elie and St Andrews and Leven. Living in such a neighborhood, it is not surprising to learn that from his very childhood James Braid has always had a golf club in his hand, and gained his earliest hints by watching and copying the golfing giants of those days. At the early age of eight he won his first competition, defeating all his opponents in a junior caddy tournament by no fewer than twenty strokes.

Success as an Amateur.

On leaving school Braid was apprenticed to a joiner, but in spite of long working hours he found time in the summer evenings and on Saturday afternoons to play the royal and ancient game. Later he worked at St. Andrews and Edinburgh, showing wonderful form as a member of the Edinburgh Thistle Club, and as an amateur he won the Braid Little tournament in 1892.

Then followed a period in London, working as a clubmaker for the Army and Navy Stores, and during this time Braid made his first appearance as a professional at St. Andrews, where he tied for first place in a special competition, the open championship, a remarkable achievement, considering that he was bracketed ninth in the list.

He was not until 1901, at Muirfield, that Braid first gained championship honors, after a stiff struggle with Harry Vardon. At Hoylake in 1902 and Sandwich in 1904 he was second to Ward and Jack White respectively. In 1906 at Sandwich and again at Muirfield in 1906 Braid secured championship honors, and now that "unkindly" Prestwick course has at last adapted itself to Braid's methods, and he has regained the title for the United King-

dom which Armand Massy so brilliantly carried over to France last year.

The fact is he has triumphed at Prestwick will be a source of great gratification to Braid, for speaking of this very course he says: "Prestwick does not seem to be a course that is very kindly disposed towards me, or it may be that such small peculiarities of play as I have are not quite so kindly disposed towards Prestwick. I must not be understood to be grumbling about the course, which is one of the very finest to be found anywhere. I have a great admiration for it, but there is just the coincidence that, on the two occasions that I have been at very nearly my

STEEL PLANT IS NOW GUARANTEED

NECESSARY CAPITAL IS PROVIDED FOR

J. T. Shadforth Says Stock Has Been Underwritten in New York.

"The capital for a steel plant on Vancouver Island has been secured, and in a week or ten days I will be in a position to announce the location of the works," is the announcement made this morning by J. T. Shadforth, the English ironmaster, who is interested in the enterprise.

According to Mr. Shadforth the capital is being secured in California, the state of Washington and in New York, as well as a certain amount locally, the whole being underwritten in New York. The capital is, therefore, absolutely assured and the establishment of the works assured beyond peradventure. The New York underwriters, he said, were most enthusiastic over the venture and their ability to place the stock without the slightest trouble.

Mr. Shadforth is a non-committal, further than that it would be on Vancouver Island and that the blast furnaces would necessarily have to be close to coke ovens and these coke ovens would in their turn be close to coal mines. This was absolutely necessary to the economic working of the plant. Of course, it was also desirable that the works should be as close as possible to the ore, but this was not so important as having the coal, coke ovens and the blast furnaces close together.

As to the exact location of the works

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THE OLYMPIC GAMES.

The greatest athletic meet in the history of the world commences to-day in London. Representatives from all the nations of Europe, North America and Australia will take part. Our American friends say they are confident of capturing first honors in a majority of the events. We hope they may succeed, provided Great Britain and Greater Britain cannot beat them. In the meantime it is noteworthy that they are the only competitors who have protested the standing of any of the athletes. They object to the appearance within the lists of Thomas Longboat, the crack Canadian long distance runner. Yet it is quite certain that Longboat is just as pure an amateur as a considerable number of the men who will represent the United States in the Stadium. Our neighbors are specially strong as sprinters, jumpers and weight throwers. If they fall in these special features of the contests, they are likely to be overcome. The Canadians have some good entries for the short distances, and they may upset the calculations of their American neighbors. One of these, Kerr of Hamilton, Ont., has already won the championship of England in the short distances. The chances, therefore, are that Canada will gain some honors at the great Olympic meet. England has already won the championship at tennis, America taking first honors in rifle shooting, the latter victory due, it is said, principally to the superiority of the United States service rifle. Still, there is no question that Americans are the best marksmen in the world with either rifle or shotgun, and there is no disposition to cavil at the honors they have won.

TROUBLES OF STATESMEN.

The times are temporarily out of joint for Chancellors of Exchequer, Secretaries of Treasuries, Finance Ministers and others who direct the financial affairs of nations. Russia is trying to borrow hundreds of millions of dollars in order to meet discrepancies between revenues and expenditures. She needs the money to build a navy and to carry on great works of internal improvement. His Majesty of Germany aims at having the greatest navy in the world, but his financial advisers cannot see with precision where the money is going to come from. Mr. Lloyd George, although constitutionally enthusiastic and optimistic, is troubled in mind respecting the programme of a progressive government. Great Britain is committed to an old age pension scheme which will involve the nation from present indications, very deeply. There is no prospect of retrenchment in any direction to meet this new and somewhat unexpected call upon Mr. George's special department. If it were proposed to cut down the charges upon the navy, there would be a popular uprising which would bode ill for the government. Ominous tidings from India necessitate the army being

kept up to the standard, if not augmented in strength. To add to the difficulties which surround the Chancellor, the advanced wing of his party insists that the old age pension scheme does not go far enough. It claims many who are rightfully entitled to pensions will be excluded under the narrow programme of the administration. Hence an urgent appeal has been issued to the bill and trust that the financial circumstances of the country will permit of an extension of its provisions in the future. But, what's betide, Great Britain is finally committed to the pensioning of the aged Liberal and Conservative is committed to it. The hope is cherished that as a consequence of its enactment charges which have hitherto fallen upon local bodies will become lighter—that the ultimate effect will merely be a change in the incidence of taxation, and that a way will be found of meeting the situation without piling impossible burdens upon the general taxpayer.

In the United States lately treasury deficits have been steadily increasing. As a consequence of trade depression the people have been buying less from abroad, and the customs receipts, from which the revenue is principally drawn, have undergone such a marked decline that in one week the nation went into debt to the tune of over five million dollars. The deficit at the end of the next financial year will prove enormous. And yet if Congress had followed the advice of President Roosevelt with regard to the increase of the navy and other extensive schemes the condition of the treasury would have been worse many times over than it is today.

Now money flowing in as freely as has been the case during the past few years into the strong box of Canada, which is in charge of Mr. Fielding. But in our case the decline was anticipated and provided for. The Canadian Finance Minister is a man of wide perception. He knew that in consequence of the pending depression there must be a temporary decline in the revenue. The prospect of the greatest harvest in the history of the country has had the effect of maintaining confidence, however, and there is a cheering prospect that before the end of the year the tide of trade and commerce will be running stronger than ever.

A REFORM DIFFICULT TO OBTAIN

There is a quiet but deep feeling throughout the country that law reform is necessary, but it is a reform which will be slow in coming, for reasons that are easily comprehended. The Toronto Star says: The editor of the Canadian Magazine takes the pessimistic view that there can be no real law reform because the spirit or genius of law will always remain. Now this would seem to us to be the very reason why law reform ought to be easy. What we need is to release the spirit of the law from its present encumbrances which create the maze in which lawyers delight to lose their clients—and to charge a ransom to guide them out again. Law is a good, a necessary thing. But there is every reason why the law should be written in the language of the people. Yet our laws might as well, in many cases, be written in Latin, as be written in the involved manner now obtaining, and be further confused by the necessity of interpretation in accordance with previous judicial decisions.

"What the law needs chiefly is simplification. Procedure is in need of the same process of pruning. There ought to be a place where two people, who disagree as the meaning of a contract or a bargain or any other document, could go quietly by themselves, and get it interpreted without either of them having to go to the trouble or expense of engaging a lawyer; and the custom of thus appearing for one's self should be so common that it would excite no remark. The laws which affect us in the ordinary walks of life ought to be easily got at and understood by the average citizen without the intervention of an expert. Nor should it be possible for a wealthy corporation to practically lift justice out of the reach of the poor sutor by a succession of appeals."

"A commission of traders, workingmen, farmers and every-day litigants would make the best law reformers."

Mr. Sheppard has been nominated as the Conservative candidate for the federal constituency of Nanaimo. Yet if the Premier of the province had a vote in the district he would cast it for his old Comrade Hawthornwaite. Furthermore, the Conservative provincial seat will be kept open for him against the day of his sure defeat in the federal election.

After a keen competition Scribner's magazine has secured President Roosevelt as a member of its staff of writers. The rate of remuneration will be two dollars per word, not one dollar, as was erroneously stated in the first instance. Inasmuch as the president is a voluminous writer, his new job ought to be quite as remunerative as the one he will relinquish next spring. That is, assuming that the man with the blue pencil holds the Big Stick in proper respect. Experienced feathered game hunters in this country seriously contend that cock pheasants known by intuition or instinct when the open season arrives and take to the woods. Doubtless the wild beasts of Africa are similarly endowed. When the information is conveyed to them by agencies which pass human understanding that Roosevelt is upon the big game path there will be a general retreat to the woods.

fastnesses of the Dark Continent. The mightiest hunter and politician of modern times will not get them—except after much labor. There will be a great demand for the stories he tells in Scribner's.

The Ottawa Free Press says Conservatives who have been anticipating substantial defections from the Liberal ranks in Quebec at the next federal elections will not gain much comfort from the editorial opinion of La Patrie, which says: "We are convinced that Sir Wilfrid Laurier can wait the verdict with confidence." La Patrie was counted upon to oppose the government in the coming campaign. It was the property of the Hon. J. Israel Tarte, and is now conducted by his sons, who are supposed to sympathize with Mr. Bourassa.

The Vancouver Province says it is a dangerous thing for public men to fall into the phrase-making habit. It probably has in mind the efforts of Premier McBride in that line. For example, "If you can't boast, don't knock," can scarcely be considered a classic, while "The thing is to get into power, and when you are in, to stay in" is not by any means a terse expression of high political ideals.

It is only occasionally in this part of the world that we realize by experience what a really hot day means. Yet the fervent heat of a mid-summer sun bath other uses than ripening crops in season. While it kills a number of people in large cities of the East, it also makes the tongue of Hon. G. E. Foster weary and prevents Parliament from remaining in session continuously throughout the year.

We gather from what is taking place in the interior of the province that Premier McBride is still carrying on a federal election campaign at the expense of the provincial treasury. That is one way of trying to advance one's political and private fortunes.

Old Sol was in great form yesterday. If the verity of the old chap is really on the decline, he must have made things warm for the inhabitants of the earth in the days when he was in the full flush of his youth and strength.

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Neighbors report that the couple were on very affectionate terms, so the husband has not been molested, and, indeed, is actively assisting the officials in their investigation.

All that the wife did on the fatal morning has been ascertained. At half-past eleven o'clock she returned from the market, whether she had gone to buy provisions for the day, but after that nothing was seen of her. If she was murdered at home this must have been during the interval preceding her husband's return from work, but it appears more likely that she went out again, unnoticed by the neighbors.

It is thought that she may have been murdered by some of the Apaches who abound in that district, and that the criminals were carrying the corpse in the sack to throw it into the Rhone when the approach of the workmen led them to drop it in the street and to run away.

PRINCIPLES OF SOUND BANKING.

Confidence in banks can be due, not to external forces, like insurance of any losses which may occur, but to internal forces directed upon the methods of business management, and the quality of the assets which serve as the security for the deposits. If the internal management is careful and judicious, the deposits are safe, and we can have confidence in their safety. Moreover, if a good bank gets no advantage from its sound business methods, its conservative loans, its skill in avoiding losses, and its experienced staff, why should it try to keep a superior standard? The insurance idea seems to be that we can have confidence in banks, if only some one will pay the losses. This is as much as to say, we are not afraid of incendiaries, fire, even if incendiaries are about, because we are insured; when, in truth, the only permanent confidence is due to measures which will eliminate the incendiaries. So in banking, everything is secondary to the character of the assets in the loan items.

It cannot be insisted upon too strongly that the effort to create confidence and prevent panic by insurances of deposits is going to the wrong end of the problem. True deposits can never be any safer than the assets. Therefore, if we wish to create confidence and prevent panic, every effort should be directed to securing only the safest kind of assets. This is the crux of the whole matter. To talk only of insurance, to fear incendiaries, is to run a risk. In truth a run, a lack of confidence, is a consequence, not a cause, of panic conditions. From "Guaranty of Bank Deposits," by W. Laurence Laughlin, in the July Scribner.

To the Editor—In your issue of the 18th inst., under the caption "Fixed Tax Rate a Mill Higher," reporting the recent happenings at a meeting of the city council, you mention a discussion which arose concerning the taxation of improvements. As far as I can make out, the arguments advanced pro and con may be of interest to your readers, in view of the proposed referendum on the subject. Our worthy Mayor is stated to have been opposed to such a system, because the Street Railway Company and other public service corporations would benefit along with all the rest of the citizens. The argument in favor of the proposal, however, is one of the men who eat his rice off of spits his face. The bulk of the citizens are not to be benefited because some corporations which have managed to monopolize the public utility service of the city would benefit also. On reading your report of the proceedings there appears to have been a somewhat hasty review of the situation, especially on the part of some of the speakers, and accordingly a brief résumé of the cardinal features of the system of taxation proposed by Henry George will be a necessary prelude to an intelligent argument. Henry George asserted that since the value of land is dependent on the demand for it, and the demand for land depends on the number of people who want to use it, and since the number of people who want to use the land is dependent on the number of people present in any given place, therefore, the number of people present in any locality produces or creates the value of the land there. This is the same thing as saying that if all the people of Victoria would leave the city, the value of the land there would be nil, except that based on an expectation that people would return here. Similarly if the population of Victoria doubled, the value of land would become more than double what it is now, owing to a speculative demand created by the expectation that more people would come here. Now, since the value which is created by the creation of an expectation, they are by the law of equity or equal rights entitled to the sole use of, therefore the value of the land, or site value or ground rent as distinguished from improvements, is equitably the common property of the people and is the only just source of income, namely, a ground rent.

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July Sale—A few of the many specialties: English sheeting, 72 inches wide; regular \$20 for 25c yard. White honeysuckle quilt, English make; sale price 85c each. Crum's English prints; regular 15c and 18c; sale price 12½c. All white wear and ladies' muslin waistes greatly reduced this week. Robinson's Cash Store, 622 Yates street.

Are you and your friends going on a picnic? If so, call at Ringshaw's, corner Yates and Broad, or phone 1424 for your lunch basket to be put up. We will cook you a joint or make you a pie up to any size, something good and tasty. All our goods, fruit, etc., are kept clean, and under cover from dust and dirt from the streets.

We can write advertisements in flowery language when we feel like it, but just now we have only time to use pointed language. Hurry up and see us about your purchases, the bargains are going past. Hicks & Lovick's great piano sale, 1204 Douglas street.

So small was the attendance at the meeting which was to be held in Labor hall at 8 o'clock Saturday night under the auspices of the Trades and Labor Council, had to be postponed. R. P. Pettipiece, of Vancouver, organizer for the Trades and Labor Council, and John Jardine, M. P. P., were to have spoken.

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J. M. Hughes, deputy grand chancellor of the Knights of Pythias, E. Pfedner, W. P. Allen and A. Rusta, grand lodge officers, went to Duncans on Saturday to install the officers of Maple Lodge, No. 45. Until recently there was a deputy for each lodge of the order in the province, which is now divided into districts, and Mr. Hughes is the first deputy grand chancellor for Vancouver Island.

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Local Scotsmen will give the Kitties band a rousing reception when that famous organization arrive in the city on Wednesday night. W. A. Anderson, the famous piper, has taken the matter in hand and wants all the Scotsmen in Victoria to gather in the hall over the Regent saloon, Douglas and Johnson streets, in their Highland costumes. They will then march down in a body to meet the Chieftain, which comes in with their countrymen at 7:30 p. m.

A report has been in circulation that the John Arbutnot interests were negotiating for the purchase of the Dunsmuir coal mines. Both sides connected with the rumor deny the story. Mr. Arbutnot is not in the city but Mr. Savage, who is associated with Mr. Arbutnot in various enterprises when asked concerning it if he wished the story denied, said there was no truth in it. The Wellington Colliery Company were likewise unaware of any negotiations such as were referred to.

LUNCHEON TO-MORROW.

Canadian Club Will Entertain Robert Mantell at Driard.

Members of the Canadian Club are reminded that the sale of tickets for tomorrow's luncheon at the Driard hotel, at which Robert Mantell will be the guest of honor, will close at 8 o'clock this evening.

Members desiring to attend must apply at Hibben & Co.'s before then or they will be unable to secure admission. On the occasion of the last luncheon a large number did not purchase tickets until just before the doors opened with the result that the caterer arrangements were upset.

For the lunch Harry Hemming, the new proprietor of the Driard, announces that he will prepare for one hundred and fifty guests, although he has no contract to supply that number. At previous Canadian Club luncheons there have always been difficulties with the caterer who has never known till the final moment the number that he has to prepare for and confusion and complaint has sometimes followed. Mr. Hemming has been asked to prepare for one hundred and fifty without any guarantee whatever and for this occasion has consented. The Canadian Club, however, wish that every member who intends to be present will purchase his ticket by to-night so that the caterer may be able to form some idea of the number who will be there and thus be able to arrange his service that the guests will not be kept waiting.

NOTICE, Esquimalt school district.

The adjourned annual meeting of the ratepayers of the district will be held at the school house, Lamppost street, on Friday evening at 8 o'clock, the 17th inst. Full attendance requested.

—In bringing a loaded car of passengers home from the baseball game on Saturday afternoon, the vigilance of the motorman prevented what might have proved a serious accident. A heavily loaded transfer truck in crossing the track a short distance in front of the approaching car, halted temporarily for some unknown reason upon the track, by which time the swiftly moving car was within 15 feet of it, and only the quick and hard application of brakes prevented a collision. Nothing more serious than a slight jolt to the passengers who were thrown forward a few feet in the car, was the result.

Mission Meeting.

A successful meeting was held in Beacon Hill park under the trees yesterday afternoon by the Men's Own Club class of the Congregational church. Mr. Jones, who is a great traveller, gave some of his incidents of crossing the Red sea. It would be wise if other classes were to meet in the open air during the hot weather.

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WONDERS WON ANOTHER MATCH**BELLINGHAM PROVED EASY PREY TO THEM****The Match Was Not Marked by Star Paly-ing.**

In a listless go-as-please kind of game, in keeping with the heat of the day, the Wonders on Saturday scored another victory, when they beat the Bellingham team 5-1. If there had been occasion they could have done worse things to the Bellinghamites, but they contented themselves with winning the game in the first innings and taking things easy for the remainder of the game. This suited the majority of the crowd, although the real live fans, those who know baseball when they see it and want to see it every time they watch a game, were inclined to get sore in spots and to demand that the teams "play ball." Surplice pitched for the Wonders, and the things he did to the visitors were awful. He struck out no less than 13 out of the 28 men who came to bat, while only four hits were secured off him. His principal work was done in the second and third innings. With two men on bases in the second and no one out he went to it and struck out the next three men up, while the first two up in the next went the same way, following which he gave a man a base on balls and then retired the side by forcing another man to fan.

Walter Lorimer again officiated in the dual position of ball and base umpire, and did so with success. He made one or two mistakes, but on the principle that to err is human and to forgive divine, the players and the spectators passed them over without the roar usual in such cases.

The men from Bellingham made nothing in their first innings, only three men coming to bat, all of whom connected with the ball, which, however, got to first before the runner in each case.

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however, and he was nailed by Lorimer without an effort.

In the fifth occurred an incident that made the spectators sit for a minute or so until they realized what the meaning of it was. Hurley, shortstop for the visitors had been hit and his place was taken by Goddard, one of the team's pitchers. In making the change the Bellinghamites were mixed in the batting order, and put McCullough up-to bat instead of the new man. The umpire had no option but to call McCullough out, and he did so, although some of those in the grandstand, who were not wise to fine points of the game, thought that this was taking a mean advantage of guests. Goddard then came up and was hit by Surplice, getting a base as a result. Then Keene struck out and Hanson was nailed at first.

In the sixth Robertson made two beautiful throws to second, catching a man each time.

In their turn in this innings the Wonders again had their opponents going some, although they scored only one run as a result. Northcott reached first on a hit and McQuade was presented with four balls. Lang came up and languidly fanned the circunambulator for a while and sat down on the bench again. Surplice, getting a base as a result, then Keene struck out and Hanson was nailed at first.

Then Keene struck out, who missed it. This put the Bellinghamites up in the air. Hurley, the shortstop, after fielding the ball sent it home too late to stop Plummer. Hanson, the catcher, threw to second base to catch Russ, but Russ failed to land the sphere and Wattlet scored. In the meantime Russ was hiking for third as fast as two legs would carry him. The second baseman saw his duty, but failed to do it. His throw to Keene on third was many feet too high, and Russ scored. Keene caught Robertson's cap and Northcott struck out, thus ending the agony of the visitors.

Things looked bad for the Wonders for a couple of minutes in the second. Lorimer made an error in giving Brown first base after he had struck out. Tait made a single on which Brown moved up to second. Each advanced another bag and died there, for Surplice struck out the next three men in dead easy style, and the day was saved.

Plummer added to his batting average in the third to the extent of a single, bagger and finally scored. Wattlet followed Plummer at bat, but went out on a foul fly which was landed by the catcher. Russ was given a base on balls and Robertson, who followed him, struck a pretty drive to right field, which Brown negotiated, although Plummer scored on the play. Russ worked his way to third and attempted to steal home while Northcott was at the bat. Just as Russ was nearing the home plate, Northcott connected with the ball, which, however, landed at first ahead of him, and he was called out and Russ' run did not count.

The Bellinghamites liked Russ' illustration of a squeeze play so well that they tried it themselves in the next innings, but without result. Brown had made a safe, had stolen second, made third on a wild throw, and came home on a passed ball. Tait, who had been given a base on balls, had stolen second and made third on the passed ball which scored Brown. Surplice then put on his working clothes and struck out the next two men. It was while the next man was at bat that Tait tried a squeeze play. It was a clumsy attempt,

Watteleit 1. Surplice 1. H. Brown L. Williams 1. Saarties hits. Hanson 1. Left on bases. Bellingham 6. Victoria 8. Time of game, 2 hours. Umpire, W. Lorimer.

THE JUNIOR LEAGUE.

"A Player" writes to the sporting editor with reference to the junior series of baseball games. The writer says the report of the game between the Oak Bays and the Beacon Hills on Friday evening was written by one of the Oak Bays. It was not, and every word it contained is true. All kinds of deplorable devices were resorted to during the contest to deprive the Oak Bays of a victory which was theirs by reason of the superiority of their play. The Oak Bay team is the youngest of any team in the so-called league, and an unsportsmanlike spirit has been engendered, from causes readily understood, which will probably have the effect of breaking up the league, just as it resulted in the disintegration of the intermediate and senior grades. In view of what has occurred the Oak Bays would be justified in refusing to play any games over again, as apparently ordered by some irresponsible organization having but a dim conception of the true ethics of sport.

THE RIFLE.**PRACTICE SHOOTING.**

Practice shooting was held at the Clover Point range Saturday afternoon, preparatory to the provincial matches, commencing July 20th.

Entries for the provincial matches may be made with Capt. G. A. Boult, Box 288, Vancouver, or with C. S. M. Caven, who will attend at the drill

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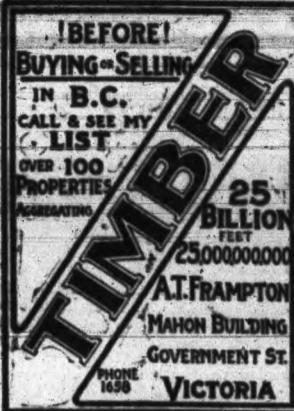
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Synopsis of Canadian Northwest Homestead Regulations.

Any even numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba or the Northwest Territories may be homesteaded by any person, the sole head of a family, or male over 21 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section.

Application for homestead entry must be made in person by the applicant at the office of the local Agent or Sub-Agent, or by proxy, and, however, be made on certain conditions by the mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of an intending homesteader.

A homestead application for inspection, made personally at any Sub-Agent's office may be wired to the local agent by the Sub-Agent at the expense of the applicant. It will be applied for vacant on receipt of the telegram which application.

He is to have priority and the land will be held until the necessary papers to complete the transaction are received by mail.

In case of "personation" the entry will be summarily rejected and the applicant will forfeit all priority of claim.

An application for inspection must be signed personally by the applicant in person. The application must be signed personally by the Sub-Agent at the time of application for inspection will be received from an individual until that application has been disposed of.

The entry is to remain standing, and not liable to cancellation, subject to approval of Department, unless it is in favor of the mother, son, daughter, brother or sister, or eligible.

Before making application for patent the settler must give six months' notice to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Ottawa, of his intention to do so.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTHWEST MINING REGULATIONS.

COAL—Coal mining rights may be leased for a period of twenty-one years as an annual rental of \$1 per acre. Not more than 2,650 acres shall be leased to any individual or company.

QUARTZ—A person eighteen years of age, or over, having discovered mineral in the earth, may locate a claim 1,000 x 1,000 feet.

The fee for recording a claim is \$2.

\$200 must be expended on the claim each year.

If the locator has his permanent residence upon farming land owned by him in the vicinity of his homestead, the requirement may be satisfied by residence upon such land.

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NOTICE

In the World of Finance and Trade

Local Markets Stock Quotations From New York, Chicago and London—Doings in Mining Centres

NEW YORK STOCKS

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	High	Low	Bid
Amalgamated Copper Co.	69	68	69
Amer. Car & Foundry, com.	36	35	36
Amer. Car & Foundry, pref.	36	35	36
Amer. Cotton Oil, com.	342	333	348
Amer. Ice, com.	263	258	263
Amer. Locomotive, com.	503	494	492
Amer. Smelt, com.	127	127	128
Amer. Smelt, pref.	127	127	128
Anaconda Mining Co.	442	435	444
Amer. Woolen, com.	323	318	323
Balt. & Ohio, pref.	903	898	908
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	184	183	185
Canadian Pacific, com.	1603	1601	1642
Central Leather, com.	15	14	15
Central Leather, pref.	15	14	15
Chicago & G. W., com.	1542	154	153
Chicago & G. W., pref.	1542	154	152
Cole, Fuel & Iron, com.	421	412	421
Cole, Southern, com.	213	211	214
Cole, Southern, 2nd pref.	502	504	501
Cole, Southern, 1st pref.	602	592	591
Corn Products, com.	161	160	161
Delaware & Hudson	160	159	160
D. & R. G., com.	25	24	25
D. & R. G., pref.	25	24	25
Erie, com.	61	60	61
Erie, 1st pref.	104	103	104
Erie, 2nd pref.	304	295	304
Illinois Central	134	133	134
Louisville & Nashville	109	108	108
Manhattan Ry.	136	135	136
Mexican Central Ry.	141	140	141
M. K. & T., common	283	283	284
M. K. & T., pref.	283	283	284
Missouri Pac., com.	50	50	50
Missouri Pac., pref.	50	50	50
National Lead	489	488	490
No. pref.	1093	1094	1095
M. St. P. & S. S. M.	112	111	112
Do, pd.	138	137	138
Int. Paper	137	136	137
No. pd.	137	136	137
New York Central	106	104	105
N. Y. Ont. & West	304	304	304
Norfolk & West., com.	21	20	21
Norfolk & West., pref.	20	20	21
Northern Pacific, com.	1293	1278	1282
Pacific Mail S. S. Co.	1223	1223	1223
Pennsylvania Ry.	1223	1223	1223
People's Gas, L. & Coke Co.	92	92	92
Pressed Steel Car, pref.	47	46	47
Reading, com.	1161	1155	1161
Reading, 2nd pref.	122	122	122
Republ. Iron & Steel, com.	181	180	181
Republ. Iron & Steel, pref.	183	182	183
Rock Island, com.	162	153	161
Rock Island, pref.	162	153	161
St. L. & S. W., 2nd pref.	26	25	26
St. L. & S. P. 1st pref.	25	24	25
St. Louis & S. W., com.	16	16	16
Southern Pacific, com.	88	87	88
Southern Pacific, pref.	88	87	88
Southern Ry., com.	173	172	173
Southern Ry., pref.	45	44	45
T. & L. & W., com.	204	204	204
T. & St. Paul, com.	149	148	149
Union Pacific, com.	1494	1478	1486
Union Pacific, pref.	1494	1478	1486
United States Rubber, com.	203	202	203
United States Rubber, pref.	107	107	107
Wabash, com.	113	113	113

A HOT DAY ALONG

THE PACIFIC COAST

Yesterday the Thermometer Registered 83 Degrees—Was Not a Record.

People were complaining a good deal about the heat in Victoria yesterday, for, although the thermometer only went up to 88 degrees, which is scarcely a record for spring, the mild temperature of this city, there was little breeze to relieve the comparative sultriness.

Although, as before stated, no record was touched yesterday, it is only in fourteen years out of the past thirty-three that the temperature has risen above 90 degrees in the month of July.

On the 25th of July, 1899, the mercury rose to one degree above the 90 mark, reached in July since 1875, when the first series of regular observations were taken in Victoria. The local weather men say that the temperature would have risen a few degrees higher yesterday had it not been for a light south-easterly wind from the cool waters of the straits.

The electrical conditions looked good last night for a thunderstorm, but only a drizzle or two of rain fell here. At 8:30 a.m. yesterday a thunderstorm, was reported.

The heat wave was pretty well distributed along the coast yesterday. In Vancouver it was 87 degrees and good part of the population of that city sought relief in the swimming surf of English Bay. At New Westminster the thermometer went up to 86 and at Kamloops 80.

The average highest temperature in Victoria for July during the last 25 years is 89 degrees. The average highest temperature for the just week in Victoria is 85.

The outlook now is for cooler and showery weather.

The marriage is announced to take place to-morrow of Capt. W. H. Gillen, coxswain of the Banfield Creek life-boat, and Miss J. P. Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, Main street, this city. The ceremony will be performed at the home of the bride's parents by Rev. Joseph McCay.

Parrott Bros. have completed their contract for the erection for the city of a furnace for the destruction of combustible garbage for the city, although it will be some little time before it is ready for use. The cement used in its construction will have to be allowed time to dry and in addition a platform will have to be built to facilitate the feeding of the rubbish into the hopper.

Mr. Simpson, the man of a rather reprobate disposition, was very well liked in this city and was highly spoken of by those who enjoyed his friendship. He was a staunch member of the Metropolitan Methodist church. He is survived by one daughter, a member of the teaching staff of the public schools.

NEW YORK COTTON

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson.)

	High	Low	Close
New York, July 12.	9.05	9.04	9.05
High. Low. Close.	9.05	9.04	9.05
July	9.04	9.03	9.04
Open. Close.	9.04	9.03	9.04
Sept.	9.03	9.02	9.03
Dec.	9.02	9.01	9.02
Corn—	9.01	9.00	9.01
July	9.05	9.04	9.05
Open. High. Low. Close.	9.05	9.04	9.05
Wheat—	7a. 5d.	7a. 6d.	7a. 5d.
July	7a. 5d.	7a. 6d.	7a. 5d.
Open. Close.	7a. 5d.	7a. 6d.	7a. 5d.
Sept.	7a. 5d.	7a. 6d.	7a. 5d.
Dec.	7a. 5d.	7a. 6d.	7a. 5d.
Sept.	7a. 5d.	7a. 6d.	7a. 5d.
May	7a. 5d.	7a. 6d.	7a. 5d.
July	75	75	74
Open. High. Low. Close.	75	75	74
Sept.	74.60	74.70	74.70
Dec.	62	62	62
May	62	62	62
Oats—	40	40	40
July	40	40	40
Open. High. Low. Close.	40	40	40
Sept.	40.00	40.10	40.10
Dec.	40	40	40
May	40	40	40
July	16.55	16.75	16.55
Open. High. Low. Close.	16.55	16.75	16.55
Oct.	16.57	16.72	16.55
Dec.	16.72	16.75	16.70
Jan.	16.72	16.85	16.75
Lard—	9.07	9.07	9.07
July	9.07	9.07	9.07
Open. High. Low. Close.	9.07	9.07	9.07
Sept.	9.07	9.07	9.07
Short Ribs—	5.00	5.00	5.00
July	5.00	5.00	5.00
Open. High. Low. Close.	5.00	5.00	5.00

Chicago Board of Trade

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson.)

	High	Low	Close
Wabash, pref.	25	25	25
Western Union Telegraph	54	54	54
Great Northern	122	121	122
Virginia Chemical, com.	25	25	25
Utah Cop.	34	34	34
Tenn. Cop.	35	35	35
Westinghouse	35	35	35
Money, 2% per cent.	35	35	35
Total sales, 201,000 shares.	35	35	35

CAPTAIN WOLLEY IS AN UNKNOWN MAN

In Consequence Frank Shepherd Was Selected as Conservative Candidate.

The nomination of Frank Shepherd as Conservative candidate for Nanaimo riding, at the next election, came somewhat as a surprise to a number of Conservatives, although his name has been mentioned for some little time.

Captain Clive Phillips-Wolley, one of the widest known men in British Columbia, who has won two or three contested elections in the Nanaimo riding, was noted on the last trades but the loss in values was insignificant. The sellers of Saturday were busy taking back their stocks this morning. In view of the crop damage reports to hand, the advancing tendency in the railroad and industrial list seems a little out of the ordinary. There

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SUCCESSFUL TRIAL OF C. P. R. TUG NANOOSE

Attains Speed of 12 Knots— Capt. Gunnis to Command Her.

On Saturday afternoon the new steel tug Nanoose, built by the B. C. Marine Railway Company at a cost of over \$70,000, was taken out for a successful trial to Captain J. W. Koehler, superintendent of the C. P. R. coast service; W. McGowan, superintending engineer of the coast service, and H. F. Butler, representing the builders, on board.

The Nanoose developed an exceptionally high horse power and made a speed of 12 knots. She gave complete satisfaction to all aboard, and can be reckoned one of the finest tugs on the Pacific Coast, if not the best.

After the run the Nanoose was brought into the inner harbor and moored alongside the C. P. R. wharf, where the finishing touches are being given to her. She will replace the tug Carib in towing one of the C. P. R. barges between the Mainland and Ladysmith. The Carib is being laid up for a short time. Capt. Gunnis, at present on the Carib, will command the Nanoose.

The new tug is 115 feet long, 24 feet wide, 14 feet deep, and has approximately a barge capacity of 100 tons. She is built of steel, and both in appearance and capacity for service is a credit to the local firm of builders.

SAMPLE ORE BROUGHT DOWN ON THE TEES

Lawn Point Shipment Expected to Assay at \$1 Per Ounce.

A ton of ore which is expected to assay at about \$1 per ounce or \$32,000 for the ton was brought to port by the steamship Tees, Capt. Townsend, which returned from the West Coast yesterday. The Tees brought four tons of ore from the Klaskino Mining Company's property at Lawn point, each ton being from a different working. Only of them, as above stated, is exceptionally rich and there is a large amount of interest being evoked by its arrival. The Klaskino company has had three men working on the claim since April and the arrival of this first probable shipment is absolute verification of the first big find of the precious metal on Vancouver island.

The horses were first to go overboard.

Near the stern of the vessel on the starboard side was an uncovered reef which would serve as temporary refuge for the poor animals, and so they were driven overboard in the hope that most, if not all, would reach it. In spite of the care that was taken several of the horses, a special dispatch to the Times places the number at 20, were lost. All the others were badly cut by barnacles and one of them was shot, having broken a foreleg in getting clear of the steamship. Launches and small craft from Nanaimo and Newcastle put out and the horses were driven off the reef and towed, urged or floated by various ways and means to the latter town.

In view of the calmness of the weather and the coming of an exceptionally high tide last night it was not thought necessary to employ the services of the local salvage company. The Henriette has continued on her voyage.

FORTY DAYS IN ICE OFF NOME

STEAMSHIP OHIO IS AT LAST IN PORT

Longest Imprisonment In Floes Yet Recorded—Passengers Eat Freight.

REPORTS FROM WEST COAST

(By Dominion Radio-Telegraph).

Tatsoos, July 12, noon.—Cloudy; wind south, 18 miles; barometer, 29.30; temperature, 56. Large steamship, lumber laden, in at 9:20 a. m.

Estevan, July 13, noon.—Overcast; wind southeast; sea moderate; barometer, 29.35. No shipping.

Pachena, July 13, noon.—Cloudy; wind southeast; no shipping.

Haywood Brown, on New York, re-

turned from Clayquot with his young brother. Mr. Brown was at Clayquot last spring in his capacity of expert mining engineer looking over the Kalapala mine. It is not yet known whether development work on the mine will be continued or not.

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Steamship Ohio, July 13, noon.—Clear; light southwest wind; heavy haze on sea; barometer, 29.32; temperature, 78. In a large steamer with 2 masts, black funnel, black hull, white upper works at 8:40 a. m. Joshi at 9:20. Out, Pribilof Islands, 10:15 a. m. Weather, m. Weak, no shipping.

Cape Lazo, July 13, noon.—Clear; light southwest wind; heavy haze on sea; barometer, 29.34; temperature, 70.

Estevan, July 13, noon.—Dull; hazy; wind west; calm. No shipping.

Point Grey, July 13, noon.—Clear; wind south; barometer, 29.32; temperature, 74. No shipping.

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Port Alberni, July 13, noon.—Cloudy; wind east; sea smooth. No shipping.

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tiful baton, decorated with the King's

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Washington, D. C., July 11.—A new uniform bill of lading designed as a substitute for the bills now in use for the movement of miscellaneous freight and general merchandise was to-day approved and its adoption recommended to the common carriers of the country and shipping by the Interstate commerce commission. It provides two forms, printed on the face side in different colors— one for "straight" and one for "order" consignments. The "order" bill will possess a certain degree of negotiability while the "straight" side will be non-negotiable.

CARTOON LIBEL SUIT.

Mayor of Philadelphia Takes Action Against North American.

Philadelphia, Pa., July 11.—Mayor John Reyburn of this city, to-day, through A. S. Shield, his counsel, instituted proceedings against E. A. Vanvalkenburg, editor and proprietor of the North American, and six members of the staff of the newspaper, charging them with criminal libel. The charges are based on cartoons and caricatures appearing in the newspaper during the last two years. Counsel for the mayor notified Mr. Vanvalkenburg's counsel of the action taken and fixed next Tuesday for a hearing of the charges before a magistrate.

The garden party at Mrs. D. R. Harris's corner of Superior and Government streets, which is being held by the Ladies' Aid of the Church of Our Lord, will take place on Tuesday next from 2 to 5 p.m. There is every prospect of a large attendance and an exceedingly pleasant afternoon.

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Other Eastern Results.

Sailed under ideal weather conditions with a fine breeze; in fact, a little stiff for the smaller craft, the annual race at Vancouver for the Julian cup, with young ladies in charge of the white winged fliers, which was sailed over the Burrard Inlet course Saturday afternoon, was an unqualified success. The start was made at 2:30 o'clock, the yachts getting off in the following order:

Tecumsehs, 8; Cornwall, 5.

Cornwall, July 11.—Cornwall's lacrosse players went down to defeat before the Tecumsehs, of Toronto, by a score of eight goals to five. The Indians played in rare form, the work of their home being a feature.

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Standing of Clubs.

20-Foot Class.

2:30 p.m.—Tillicum, owner F. G. T. Lucas, sailed by Miss Ruth McLean, with Miss Irene McLean on the head-sails.

Aloha, owner W. Templeton, sailed by Miss Templeton.

Marietta, owner G. Willis, sailed by Miss Willis.

26-Foot Class.

2:38 p.m.—Dione, owner R. Maitland, sailed by Miss Maitland.

Asthore, owner W. Macdougall, sailed by Mrs. J. S. Gall.

2:45 p.m.—Madeline, owner W. Thicke, sailed by Miss Violet Thicke.

22-Foot Class.

2:57 p.m.—Wideawake, owner E. B. Deane, sailed by Miss Sophie Deane.

Canuck, owner R. Scarlett, sailed by Miss Scarlett.

The course was six miles, or twice around. The Tillicum led the first time round, but on the second time the Madeline and Dione led her before the Asthore also passed the Tillicum near the Brockton Point buoy. The Dione and Asthore engaged in a luffing match, the Asthore coming out with flying honors. The Madeline crossed the line first, having covered the course in one hour and three minutes. The Asthore crossed about two seconds ahead of the Dione, with the Tillicum next. The other yachts finished in the following order: Wideawake, Marietta, Aloha and Canuck.

TEN GOALS SCORED

AGAINST ONLY TWO

Victoria Does Not Win From Maple Leafs—Rough Play Marks Game.

Ten goals to two was the result of a rigged exhibition of lacrosse given between the Maple Leafs and Victoria twelves at Vancouver on Saturday. The result was in favor of Maple Leaf, who secured the larger number of goals.

Rough play marked the game from start to finish and Ronan and Batterby in the third quarter got together in a little mix-up. McCune and Morris had a dispute of a similar nature in the first quarter and were ruled on the field. The Victoria team was weak both in defense and attack. Mederich, however, in goal, although ten shots got past him, succeeded in heading off several other hot ones that looked like scores.

Clegg, McLachlan and Dewar held down their positions in good shape but the balance of the team again showed their lack of combination. Individualized play on the lacrosse field will never make a champion team. Ronan for his tussle with Batterby got twenty minutes and Batterby got the best of the tussle.

Victoria play the Maple Leaf twelve here again on Saturday, when they will put out a stronger team than that which went over to Vancouver Saturday. The summary was:

First quarter—E. Murray, 4 minutes; Summer, 12; Pettigrew, 10.

Second quarter—E. Murray, 1 minute; Summer, 5; Pettigrew, 4; E. Murray, 6.

Third quarter—Summer, 5 minutes; P. Raney, 2; R. Raney, 7½.

Fourth quarter—E. Murray, 3 minutes; E. Murray, 2.

The line-up for Victoria follows—Mederich, Clegg, McLachlan, Dewar, O'Neil, Wilson, Hancock, Morris, Pettigrew, Sedger, Batterby, Ronan, For Vancouver—Ranney, McArthur, Carter, Ronan, McKeown, McQuiggin, Painter, W. Murray, B. Murray, E. Murray, Summer, R. Raney, Lenfisks.

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Capt. Lorker, R. N., has bought 5 acres of water frontage on Cowichan Bay from Mr. Corfield and will build a very fine residence there at once.

The part that the captain has bought is noted throughout the district for duck shooting.

Mrs. Christmas is spending a few days with her daughter in Saanich.

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There are some people in Victoria who have been "going to buy a piano" for 7 years. Every piano salesman knows them. There is a probability of them going on in the same fashion for 7 years more unless they take advantage of our piano sale. Hicks & Lovick Piano Co., Limited, Vernon block.

WILL BE ACTING MAYOR.

Ald. Cameron Will Be Appointed to the Position This Evening.

Ald. W. G. Cameron will be acting mayor during the time that Mayor Hall will be absent from the city attending the tercentenary celebration at Quebec. Notice that he will move to this effect has been given by Ald. Henderson and will come before the council tonight.

Among other matters to come up will

be a resolution moved by Ald. Henderson, awarding the contract for 750 drums of crozette to E. G. Prior & Co., and Ald. Hall's by-law to amend the dog pound by-law and to raise the license on canines.

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